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Via Overnight Delivery
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Ms. Sara J. Clark, Secretary, Commission Secretary
MA Department of Telecommunications & Cable
1000 Washington Street
Suite 820
Boston, MA 02118

RE: Cooperative Communications, Inc.
Revision to MDTC Tariff No. 2 - Access Services

Dear Ms. Clark:

Pursuant to the DTC Notice, dated May 22, 2017, enclosed for filing please find the original and one (1) copy of the above referenced tariff filing submitted on behalf of Cooperative Communications, Inc. ("Company"). This filing revises the local switching terminating access rate to implement the sixth phase of intercarrier compensation transition in compliance with the requirements of the Federal Communications Commission Report and Order in WC Docket No. 10-90, *et. al.*, FCC No. 11-161. The Company respectfully requests an effective date for this filing of July 29, 2017.

The following tariff pages are included with this filing:

4 th Revised Page 2	Updates Check Sheet
1 st Revised Page 44	Relocates text, adds text
Original Page 44.1	Relocates text
3 rd Revised Page 54	Revises Local Switching terminating rate
4 th Revised Page 55	Revises Local Switching terminating rate

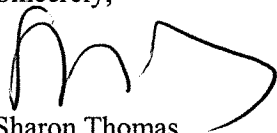
Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$100.00 to cover the filing fee. This filing has been submitted via email to dtc.efiling@state.ma.us.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date-stamping the extra copy of this cover letter and returning it to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for that purpose.

Any questions you may have regarding this filing should be directed to my attention at 407-740-3031 or via email to Sthomas@tminc.com. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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MA Department of Telecommunications & Cable
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Sharon Thomas', with a stylized, cursive script.

Sharon Thomas
Consultant to Cooperative Communications, Inc.

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Enclosures
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ACCESS SERVICES TARIFF

CHECK SHEET

Pages of this tariff, as indicated below, are effective as of the date shown at the bottom of the respective pages. Original and revised pages, as named below, comprise all changes from the original tariff and are currently in effect as of the date on the bottom of this page.

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SECTION 3 - SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE, (CONT'D.)

3.3 Rate Categories

There are two rate categories which apply to Switched Access Service:

- End Office Switching (includes Common Line and Switched Transport)
- Toll-Free 8XX Data Base Access Service

3.3.1 End Office Switching

The Company combines traditional per minute switched access rate elements into a single composite per minute rate element. The Company's composite rate is not discountable based on the customer's use of only some of the identified switched access components. This element includes the following rate categories:

- A. Common Line
The Common Line rate category establishes the charges related to the use of Company-provided end user common lines by customers and end users for intrastate access.
- B. Switched Transport
The Switched Transport rate category establishes the charges related to the transmission and tandem switching facilities between the customer designated premises and the end office switch(es) where the customer's traffic is switched to originate or terminate the customer's communications. The Switched Transport rate category also includes transport between an end office which serves as host for a remote switching system or module (RSS or RSM) and the RSS or RSM or its equivalent.
- C. End Office Switching
The End Office Switching rate category establishes the charges related to the use of end office switching equipment, the terminations in the end office of end user lines, the terminations of calls at Company Intercept Operators or recordings, the Signaling Transfer Point (STP) costs, and the SS7 signaling function between the end office and the STP.

The terminating switched transport rate schedules are bifurcated into "3rd Party" and "End Office" rates. The Company bills the End Office terminating switched transport rates, in accordance with Commission Rules 51.907(g)(2) and 51.907(g), for "terminating traffic traversing a tandem switch that the terminating carrier or its affiliates owns." All other terminating switched transport traffic is billed the 3rd Party terminating switched transport rates.

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SECTION 3 - SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE, (CONT'D.)

3.3 Rate Categories

3.3.2 Toll-Free 8XX Data Base Query

The Toll-Free 8XX Data Base Query Charge, will apply for each Toll-Free 8XX call query received at the Company's (or its provider's) Toll-Free 8XX data base.

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SECTION 3 - SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE, (CONT'D.)

3.9 Rates and Charges

3.9.1 Common Line Access Service

Per Originating Minute	Note 1
Per Terminating Minute	\$0.0000

3.9.2 Switched Transport Service

Originating

Tandem Switched Transport, per Minute	Note 1
Tandem Switched Transport, per Minute, per Mile	Note 1
Tandem Switching, per Minute	Note 1

Terminating

	<u>3rd Party</u>	<u>End Office</u>	(C)
Tandem Switched Transport Termination, per Minute	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	
Tandem Switched Transport Facility, per Minute, per Mile	\$0.000002	\$0.000000	
Tandem Switching per Minute	\$0.001574	\$0.000700 (R)	
Common Trunk Port, per Minute	\$0.000000	\$0.000000	(C)

Note 1: All originating access minutes are billed at a single per minute access rate found in Section 3.9.3A, Local Switching. This composite rate includes the elements traditionally billed as Tandem Switched Transport.

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3.9 Rates and Charges, (Cont'd.)

3.9.3 End Office Switching

A. Local Switching

Originating, Per Minute:

Direct Transport \$0.00291185

Direct/Tandem Transport \$0.00593785

Terminating, Per Minute \$0.00000000* (R)

B. Transport Interconnection Charge

Originating, Per Minute Note 1

Terminating, Per Minute \$0.0000

C. Information Surcharge

Originating, Per Minute Note 1

Terminating, Per Minute \$0.0000

3.9.4 Toll-Free 8XX Data Base Access Service

Per Query \$0.0075

*Equivalent to Verizon's Composite Terminating End Office Charge.

Note 1: All originating access minutes are billed at a single per minute access rate found in Section 3.9.3A, Local Switching. This composite rate includes the elements traditionally billed as Transport Interconnection Charge and Information Surcharge.

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